

**REMARKS**

Claims 13 and 24 have been amended to correct minor typographical errors in the Examiner's Amendment. Claim 13 has been amended to insert the article "a" and to correct the accession number from HB-11211 to HB-11311, as shown in the Amendment filed September 13, 2006. Claim 24 has been amended to insert the article "a", which was present in the Amendment filed September 13, 2006.

No new matter has been added.

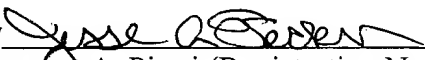
**CONCLUSION**

Applicants request that the Examiner enter the amendment and consider the foregoing remarks and pass the application to issue.

Applicants believe no fee is due with this response, aside from the fee associated with the Issue Fee. However, if an additional fee is due, in the accompanying Transmittal Letter the Director is authorized to charge our Deposit Account No. 06-1075, from which the undersigned is authorized to draw, under Order No. 003591-0004.

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Respectfully submitted,

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